

# BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH.

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## LEGISLATURE MEETS

THIRTY-FIFTH LEGISLATIVE SESSION IS FORMALLY OPENED AT ST. PAUL.

LAWRENCE H. JOHNSON OF MINNEAPOLIS ELECTED SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE.

St. Paul, Jan. 9.—The thirty-fifth session of the Minnesota senate was called to order by Lieutenant Governor O. E. Eberhart of Slayton at 12:05 p.m.

Chief Justice C. J. Start swore in the president of the senate, Lieutenant Governor Eberhart, who took the oath of office.

Each of the senators, by districts, advanced to the rostrum and was sworn in by the chief justice of the supreme court. Samuel A. Langum was chosen secretary.

W. A. Alton of St. Paul was elected assistant secretary of the senate.

Frank Holcomb of St. Paul was unanimously elected enrolling clerk.

E. A. Nelson of Halleck was elected engrossing clerk.

James A. Ege of Minneapolis was elected sergeant-at-arms.

The chair announced the only contested election was that of Joseph M. Hackney by Pierce Butler of the Fourth district. This was the only communication the chair had received.

Senator A. D. Stephens of Crookston, Polk county, presented the first resolution, placing in nomination the various appointees, who were all elected upon the motion of Senator Stephens.

The slate as elected by the Stephens resolution is as follows:

Secretary to Lieutenant governor, Edward B. Nyquist; Lieutenant governor's messenger, T. H. Lyles; second assistant secretary, W. A. Simonton; assistant enrolling clerk, T. J. Courtright; assistant engrossing clerk, Finley McMartin; assistant sergeant-at-arms, Ira Padden; chaplain, Rev. J. W. Ekman; clerk of the enrolling committee, J. J. Lomen; clerk of the engrossing committee, Ben Halverson; file clerk, Alexis Anderson; assistant file clerk, J. B. Doran; keeper of the cloakroom, W. W. Leonard; doorkeeper, Hiram A. Buck; assistant doorkeeper, T. O. Dorseth; sergeant-at-arms of the gallery, Albert T. Anderson; sergeant press gallery, William E. Poe; sergeant cloakroom, E. Tornberg; clerk judiciary committee, E. A. Montgomery; assistant clerk judiciary committee, Alfred S. Teisberg; clerk finance committee, Samuel Dalen; clerk of railroads, J. A. Loehl; clerk of taxes, L. L. Ingberman; postoffice messenger, George H. Randall; janitor senate chamber, R. E. Chapman.

Miscellaneous committee clerks, each of whom will serve from three to five committees: E. A. Simpson, Anna Connors, Andrew Horngren, A. B. Brown, Reuben Elquist, J. T. Devaney, Peter Schaffer, F. G. Tuttle, Thomas McKinley, Gilbert Hage; stenographers, Miss Kate Sexton, Mrs. L. C. Goodnow, Miss Nettie Hammond, Miss Ida F. Origen, Miss Helen N. Talbot, Miss Jessie Kernan, Mrs. Irene C. Buehl.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE HOUSE.

Convening of That Body Devoid of Spectacular Features.

The convening of the house was devoid of spectacular features. The galleries were filled with interested spectators.

At noon Secretary of State Schmahl called the house of representatives to order. He named Representative J. A. Gates of Kenyon as temporary secretary.

On the reading of the roll call the members were assembled by districts, and the oath of office was administered by Justice Brown of the supreme court.

Judge Hicks of Minneapolis nominated Lawrence H. Johnson of Minneapolis for speaker and A. J. Rockne of Zumbrota seconded the nomination.

For the minority party, James Handlan of St. Paul offered the name of Dr. J. H. Dorsey of Glencooe. The Democratic nomination was seconded by Joseph Peter of Empire.

The vote was a strict party one, 106 to 13, and Johnson's election was announced. The three Prohibition members voted for Johnson.

M. Bendixen of Morgan escorted Speaker Johnson to his seat. He was greeted with cheers by his colleagues, the Democrats joining in heartily.

In a few brief remarks Mr. Johnson thanked the members for the honor given him. He said he would try to treat all fairly; that party lines would be obliterated, and that he would join with all in trying to work for the best interests of the state.

The Republican slate adopted at the Republican caucus was adopted, each appointee being nominated and voted upon individually, were as follows:

Chief clerk, Adolph E. L. Johnson,

Minneapolis; first assistant clerk, Archibald H. Vernon, St. Paul; second assistant, Oscar Arneson, Herman; reading clerk, John T. Jones, Minneapolis; enrolling clerk, Lester Bartlett, Buffalo; engrossing clerk, D. W. Meeker, Moorhead; sergeant-at-arms, B. F. Seiz, Red Wing; assistant sergeant-at-arms, George Deane, Mille Lacs; postmaster, Albert H. Spring; assistant postmaster, George W. John, Garden City; chaplain, R. D. Phillips, Ceylon; speaker's clerk, Sherman S. Smith, Minneapolis.

### VICTORY FOR LA FOLLETTE.

His Candidate Chosen Speaker of Wisconsin Assembly.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 9.—Herman L. Ekern of Whitehall, Tempeau county, at the Republican caucus was chosen for speaker by a vote of 38 to 24 on the first formal ballot.

This is the first serious reverse sustained by Lieutenant Governor Connor, who has been working for E. W. Leroy of Marinette. Incidentally Senator La Follette, who has been the sponsor for Ekern, has triumphed over Connor.

The legislature will organize with the following officers, as determined by Republican caucuses of senate and assembly:

Senate—President pro tem, J. H. Stort, Menomonie; chief clerk, A. R. Emerson, Darlington; sergeant-at-arms, R. C. Falconer, Camp Douglas.

Assembly—Speaker, H. L. Ekern, Whitehall; chief clerk, C. E. Shaffer, Madison; sergeant-at-arms, W. S. Irvin, Greenwood.

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### North Dakota Legislature.

Bismarck, N. D., Jan. 9.—Both houses of the North Dakota legislature convened at noon and organized. Representative Twichell, insurgent candidate for speaker, received seventy-three votes to Johnson's (stalwart) twenty-three, four members being absent. Both houses adjourned after organizing. The senate was organized on a compromise between the two wings of the Republican party and peace seems in sight in that body.

### Crawford Inaugurated.

Pierre, S. D., Jan. 9.—Coe I. Crawford of Huron was inaugurated as governor with simple ceremonies at noon. The Republican senatorial caucus will be held at 10 a.m. It is not probable that the much talked of opposition to Senator Gamble will materialize.

### BEFORE CONGRESS ADJOURS.

New British Ambassador Will Arrive in Washington.

London, Jan. 9.—James Bryce, the new British ambassador to the United States, has now definitely arranged to reach Washington Feb. 24, thus permitting him to pass a few days at the Capitol before congress adjourns. He has not yet booked his passage. Mrs. Bryce is holding her closing receptions previous to closing up her residence on Portland Place.

It is expected that the cabinet appointments consequent on the retirement of Mr. Bryce from the chief secretaryship for Ireland will be announced in the next few days. The prevailing belief is that Mr. Burrell, now president of the board of education and the author of the defunct educational bill, will succeed Mr. Bryce in the Irish office.

### Bribery Case in Hands of Jury.

Pittsburg, Jan. 9.—The address to the jury closed the sensational case of Common Councilman W. A. Martin, charged with bribery in the \$70,000 scandal in connection with the ordinance permitting the Pittsburg and Lake City railway to enter this city. At midnight no verdict had been reached by the jury.

### Major League Baseball Season.

Cincinnati, Jan. 9.—The joint scheduling committee of the National and American baseball leagues met here and unanimously decided that the season of each league should consist of 154 games for each team. Both leagues will open on April 11 and close on Oct. 5 in the East and Oct. 6 in the West.

## MURDER CONSPIRACY

BELIEVED COLORED TROOPS HAD PLANNED TO KILL ALL OF THEIR OFFICERS.

### MACKLIN THE FIRST VICTIM

OFFICER WHO WAS SHOT BY UNKNOWN NEGRO IS DISLIKED BY THE SOLDIERS.

El Reno, Okla., Jan. 9.—Belief of the army officers at Fort Reno of a conspiracy to murder every white officer at Fort Reno, beginning with Captain Edgar B. Macklin, against whom nearly every negro soldier at the fort entertains a personal dislike, as a result of the affray at Brownsville and the discharge of the negro soldiers that followed—and then proceeding down the list of officers, became known as the result of a preliminary hearing in the case of Edward L. Knowles, corporal of Company A, Twenty-fifth Infantry, who was held on a charge of assault with intent to kill Captain Macklin of Company C, Twenty-fifth Infantry, on the night of Dec. 21. Knowles was bound over to await the action of the Canadian county grand jury at the opening term of the court. All the officers now go heavily armed and protected throughout the night. Every effort has been made by the officers at the post to keep the alleged conspiracy a secret but it is learned that an investigation is now being conducted at several army posts and important places throughout the country and within a short time several arrests of the members of the troops recently discharged in disgrace are expected to follow.

Information has been received that the arrest of a negro soldier has been made at La Junta, Colo. Suspicion rests upon negro soldiers at Fort Niobrara, Neb., and at three other points

Detroit, Jan. 9.—Fire gutted a major portion of the large plant of the Michigan Stove Works on Jefferson avenue in the evening, causing a loss estimated at \$750,000, while the entire plant was insured for but \$380,000. Upwards of 15,000 gas and coal stoves were ruined and of the tremendous plant covering an area of ten or twelve acres, only the office building, the foundries and part of the storage building were saved, less than a third of the entire establishment. Several firemen were injured by falling debris and half a dozen spectators were hurt when the horses attached to one of the fire department wagons ran away into the enormous crowd that lined the street opposite the burning plant. The plant employed a total of 1,200 men.

Five of the people injured by the runaway were taken to hospitals. An unidentified man died at St. Mary's hospital. His skull was crushed by the horses' hoofs. Joseph E. Tuck is in a critical condition with a fractured skull; Mrs. Joseph E. Tuck, his wife, has a broken thigh and lesser injuries.

None of the firemen were seriously injured.

Spontaneous combustion among the stored coal is the only cause that can be assigned for the fire. The plant will be rebuilt as soon as possible.

### SINGULAR SITUATION IN CUBA.

Foreigners Own Ninety Per Cent of the Property.

Washington, Jan. 9.—Brigadier General Crozier, chief of ordnance, who has just returned to the war department from a personal visit in Cuba, said a singular feature of the situation in Cuba was that at least 90 per cent of the property is owned by foreigners, who insist on retaining their foreign citizenship. Americans, English, Germans and Spaniards practically control the business affairs of the island. To give up their citizenship in their own countries and identify themselves with Cuba would deprive them of that security of protection which they feel necessary to reserve. This, it was stated makes Cuban self-government more difficult.

The Cubans themselves, General Crozier declared, were as a rule for law and order and peaceful industry.

### ROBBERY THE MOTIVE.

New York Physician Murdered at Portland, Ore.

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### RAISULI'S STRONGHOLD TAKEN.

But Moroccan Bandit and His Followers Escape.

Tangler, Jan. 9.—Zinat, Raisuli's stronghold, was virtually destroyed by fire and fell into the hands of the troops of the sultan at noon after a short and almost bloodless fight. Raisuli and his 700 followers succeeded in eluding capture and reaching

### RIPLEY ON THE STAND.

President of Santa Fe Road Testifies at Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—The inquiry of the interstate commerce commission into the management and methods of the Harriman railroads recently adjourned in New York city was resumed here. The commission was occupied for the greater part of the day with evidence relating to rates on cattle from Texas points, and it was not until late in the afternoon that the Harriman lines were brought before the board.

Only one witness was examined, President Ripley of the Santa Fe railroad, and at the conclusion of his evidence an adjournment was taken for the day.

The examination of President Ripley did not bring out any startling information. He declared that he did not know until he had read it last week in the papers that the Union Pacific was the holder of nearly \$10,000,000 of Santa Fe stock. He asserted that when approached by representatives of this stock for the right to name members of the Santa Fe directory he refused to consider the proposition until it was distinctly understood that the directors to be named were not officers of the Union Pacific or of any other line competitive with the Santa Fe. The directors named were H. H. Rogers and Henry C. F. Frick, both of whom were directors of the Union Pacific at the time of their election to the directory of the Santa Fe. President Ripley testified that their connection with the Union Pacific had in no way impaired their usefulness to the Santa Fe and he declared them to be as good directors as the Santa Fe now has.

President Ripley was examined and cross-examined at considerable length as to whether the Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific were competitors of each other and of the Santa Fe. The substance of his testimony in this respect was that while competitors in some things they were not so on all classes of traffic nor from all parts of the country.

### TO SUCCEED HIMSELF

SENATOR KNUTE NELSON NAMED BY CAUCUS OF MINNESOTA REPUBLICANS.

### BAD FIRE IN MICHIGAN.

Big Plant of Michigan Stove Works Damaged.

Detroit, Jan. 9.—Without a dissenting voice, the caucus of Republican members of the legislature nominated Knute Nelson of Alexandria as the Republican candidate for the United States senate. On Jan. 22 he will receive almost the unanimous vote of the legislature in his third election to the senate.

Speaker L. H. Johnson of Minneapolis called the caucus to order and Representative H. G. Hicks of Minneapolis was chosen chairman of the caucus. R. J. Wells was chosen secretary and Burdette Thayer and C. B. Miller of Duluth were chosen assistant secretaries.

Senator Gunderson of Alexandria nominated Senator Nelson and several other members of the caucus made seconding speeches.

On the roll call Senator Nelson received 133 votes of the 145 Republican members. There were twelve absent.

### STEAD WILL VISIT WASHINGTON.

Noted Briton Touring the World on an International Peace Mission.

London, Jan. 9.—William T. Stead, who is now in France on an international peace mission, expects to reach the United States and attend the opening of the Carnegie Institute at Pittsburgh. He will also visit Washington and discuss with the officials certain advanced ideas concerning the programme of the second peace conference at The Hague. His conference with Premier Campbell-Bannerman developed the possibility that the latter will head the British delegation at The Hague. Secretary Root's attendance at the Pan-American congress being considered a precedent.

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## HARMONY IN SENATE

OPPOSING PARTIES AGREE ON INQUIRY INTO THE BROWNSVILLE AFFRAY.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1907.

HAVE you noticed a slight tipping of the earth towards St. Paul? The legislature is in session and the heavy weight politician and his friends are there this week looking for a chance to land.

THE Detroit Record denies the sensational story sent out that Mrs. E. Mark has sued that city for \$25,000 on account of an arrest for refusal to take out a license to run a temporary store there.

PAPER clothing is the latest invention, and "cloth" for an entire suit costs but \$3. Even at that price a man with a family of boys would have to have a pretty fair income to keep them dressed up unless the fabric has staying qualities that hold over the all wool article.

UNDER the new national pure food law "Boston baked beans" must have actually been baked in Boston, and it is unlawful to offer them for sale if they bear the label and it states an untruth. The new food law is strict in its regulations and is to be enforced to the letter.

It is said that the whitefish are passing from the great lakes as did the bison that once swarmed on the prairies of the west and at the present rate they will be just as scarce within a few years. A few years ago the Detroit river alone on the American side yielded a million pounds of whitefish annually while now the combined catch of both Canadian and American sides is but 35,000 pounds. People who have studied the matter state that the only remedy is an increased appropriation from the government to spend on the propagation of this food fish.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

See Sherlund, the plumber, 611 Laurel. E. E. Bernard came in from Smiley today.

Geo. D. La Bar went to St. Paul today on business.

Snow Bird flour, the best, at Cale's. 175tf

Dr. J. L. Camp went to Motley today on business.

W. H. Spalding went to Staples today on business.

R. W. Tanner returned yesterday from St. Paul.

For plumbing call Sherlund, 611 Laurel.

Engines 182 and 184 were towed in today for repairs.

C. A. Neuman, of Duluth, is in the city on business.

A. J. Luken, of Pine River, is in the city on business.

Girl wanted to learn to set type, Arena Office. 185tf

Fred Hoffman went to Sauk Center today on business.

Frank Standiford, of Staples, was in the city yesterday.

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J. W. Hunt, of Dunkirk, N. Y., is registered at the Ransford.

Deputy Game Warden Saunders came in from the north today.

Robert Joyal is back from a visit to his parents at Winnipeg.

If anything is the matter with your furnace call Sherlund. 181tf

N. W. Burrell, of Blackduck, was in the city today on business.

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Card tables and folding chairs for rent at D. M. Clark & Co. 185tf

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Sawed wood for sale at Hayes' livery, pine, oak and tamarack. 166tf

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Typewriter—New Smith-Premier typewriter, writes in three colors, cost \$105, will sell for \$70. R. S. Holden. 185tf

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## ON TRIAL FOR HIS LIFE

The Trial of Henry Towers Charged With the Murder of Albert Hagadorn

COMMENCED THIS MORNING

Up to Noon Today Only One Juror Had Proved Acceptable to The Attorneys

The first proved to be the last selection of jurors in the Hagadorn murder case this forenoon. Floren Senti, the first juror examined, was passed by the attorneys representing both the state and the defense and it seemed that a jury might be secured with less delay than was anticipated, but as the forenoon wore on and juror after juror was examined and rejected the hope faded.

As is always done in this state when a case involving the possibility of capital punishment is on trial, triers were appointed to pass on the question of the prejudices of the jurors. C. D. Johnson, W. W. Bane and F. E. Kenney were chosen as triers, but up to noon there had been no use for them, every juror called after Mr. Senti being challenged and the challenge admitted.

T. E. Smith, of this city, was accepted as the second juror this afternoon.

Court Reporter Cameron returned to Bemidji today after a stay of some days in this city.

T. G. Butler, of Pequot, came down to Brainerd on business yesterday, returning today.

Albert Hoka, and family, of Pine River, were in the city yesterday on their way to Minneapolis.

W. E. Arnold came in from St. Paul yesterday to visit his parents for a few hours while here on business.

Miss Fronia Jentz left yesterday noon for St. Joseph, Minn., to continue her studies at the conservatory of music.

Willard Lincoln, of Staples, master mechanic for the Northern Pacific at that place, was in Brainerd last night.

Mrs. Nelson and children, who have been visiting her father, J. J. Stearns, left yesterday for their home in St. Paul.

John Baker, a son of Russell Baker, the superintendent of the electric light plant, arrived in the city today to visit his father.

Drs. Batcheller and Thabes went to Little Falls yesterday to attend the meeting of the Upper Mississippi Medical society.

F. B. Desch returned to his freight run on the Northern Pacific, Conductor Ed. Day having returned to duty after a short vacation.

There will be an important meeting of the Commercial club at their rooms this evening and it is hoped that all members will be present.

U. S. Deputy Marshal Frank Tufts was in the city yesterday convoying a bunch of Indian witnesses to Duluth to attend United States court.

The Sons of Veterans will install officers at the Odd Fellows hall Saturday evening January 12th, at the invitation of the G. A. R. All members are requested to be present.

Fred Clark, stenographer and maintenance clerk in the office of W. H. Strachan, was taken to the Sanitarium yesterday and operated upon today for appendicitis. He is getting along nicely.

Geo. Sargent, W. H. Bolton, Joe Herbst, Edward Boppe and Gust Johnson went to Staples today noon to assist in organizing an aerie of Eagles there tonight. There will be 195 fledglings taught to soar.

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## Daggett Brook Items

Two wolf certificates were issued during the year.

Ed Corigan has gone to Hutchinson for a few days visit.

The number of deaths reported for the year 1906 was eight.

Eight births were reported in the township during the past year.

Louis H. Holsapple has purchased a fine team from Frank J. Wolvert.

J. W. Holsapple is visiting relatives in the southern part of the state.

The town board of supervisors will meet January 21st, on road business.

The American Society of Equity still hold their regular meetings twice a month.

There will be a dance at the Yeoman hall on Tuesday evening, January 15th, by the up-to-date farmers of North Prairie.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Carelessness is the great sin of most people.

If a man doesn't acquire a little sense with age he cheats himself.

If a man owns a pocketknife it is hard for him to pass a grindstone.

Say what you please about moral courage, the man who has a lot of it is mighty unpopular.

Make the stories you tell on a rainy day as short as possible, especially if you tell them under an umbrella.

There is very little use trying to convince a man who meets your statement with this argument: "I'll bet you."

No matter how highly you may value your own opinion, remember it does not go with other people unless they think exactly as you do, which, by the way, they seldom do.—Atchison Globe.

## Chinese Hotels.

The hotels are usually grouped within a square or two of one another. Each one seeks to attract guests by high sounding titles. For example, in Carlton are hotels which flaunt the signs of the Fortunate Star, the Golden Profits (an unusually frank confession for a landlord to make), the Rank Conferring and the Happiness. The food is not so bad, but the traveler who goes to one of these houses to sleep will wish that he had gone to another. The bedrooms are small, thin walled boxes in which you may hear the breathing of your next neighbor or be kept awake half the night by the conversation of people at the other end of the hall or, worse still, be almost stifled by the smoke from an opium pipe which is being indulged in by the man across the passageway.

Those present crowded around Mr. Buchite and congratulated him on his acquittal. Mr. Buchite bore himself quietly, as he has all through the trial, yet was apparently deeply affected and much relieved by the outcome.

## BUCHITE IS NOT GUILTY

Such is the Verdict of the Jury

After Three Hours Deliberation on the Case

## IS CONGRATULATED BY FRIENDS

## Court Room Practically Empty

When the Verdict was Read Last Evening

We the jury in the case of the State of Minnesota vs. Wm. Buchite find the defendant not guilty. P. W. BIDWELL, Foreman.

There were few people around the court house shortly before six o'clock last evening when the jury in the Buchite case announced that they were ready to report. The telephone was freely used and in a few minutes the attorneys in the case, the judge and the defendant were in the court room.

There were few spectators present, only a newspaper representative and a few of the employees of the court house, when the jury was brought in. Nevertheless there was a tenseness of feeling that was apparent to all as the preliminary questions were put and the verdict handed to the judge who read it and handed it to Clerk Johnston who read it aloud. Judge McClenahan at once discharged the defendant and declared his bond exonerated.

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## A Card.

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## A Correction

EDITOR DISPATCH—I notice in your issue of Jan. 5th a write-up of the "Function" given by the U O 2 B In It club.

I quote your language: "The sweet meat table was handsomely decorated with candelabra and evergreens."

It was presided over by M. J. Reilly, C. D. Johnson and James Cullen.

Fudge, stuffed dates and frappe were served at this table."

Mr. Editor, I was not there.

I may be a little sensitive but I can't help but wish to be considerate of my actions when likely to be viewed by the public.

I have lived here a great many years.

I confess I have presided at a great many different tables;

I have taken part in Shakespearean plays—played in "Uncle Tom's Cabin"—acted on the Fourth of July,

Decoration and other great days—

rose to the distinction of being a Grand Orient and mayor of Brainerd;

and for the sake of my standing with posterity, I don't want it heralded down the corridors of time as a fact that I presided at a table decorated with "candelabra," and handed out "Fudge," "Stuffed Dates" and "Frappé." My friends Reilly and Cullen may covet that honor, but as for myself, I want you Mr. Editor, to place me right in the eyes of the public and posterity.

Respectfully,

C. D. JOHNSON.

## ANOTHER SALE ON CUYUNA RANGE

George H. Crosby People Pay  
\$40,000 for Tract of Iron  
Land Near Rabbit Lake

## OTHER RICH FINDS NOTED

Rich Finds in Blackwood Valley—  
Section One, Town Forty Six,  
Range Twenty-Nine

The Aitkin Age contained a report of another big deal in iron lands. Lands on the Cuyuna seem to be at a premium these days and the prices are such as to make the worst skeptics sit up and take notice. The Age says:

"The latest transaction to guarantee the certain progress of the new iron finds to the west of us is the closing of the deal for the Erick property near Rabbit Lake and the transfer of the cash payment of \$40,000 by the George H. Crosby people. This has been arranged for after a long term of drilling and testing with results that show conclusively that merchantable iron exists on the property in immense quantities. The Erick property includes something over 200 acres but that upon which the rich iron finds have been proven joins the Barton or Federal company's holdings and is described as follows: W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 32 and S 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 29 in town 47-28. The Federal company's holdings are the E 1/2 of the NE 1/4 31-47-28 and this is also rich in iron ore. The supposition is that actual work of mining will soon be commenced on the Erick property."

"It is also learned that the new finds on section one in 46-29 one mile southwest of the Federal and Crosby holdings are showing high grade ore in immense quantities and the locality promises to rival some of the best mines in Minnesota. This is in the middle range and it is here that H. B. Blackwood has made the three most important finds and from this fact his friends are calling the place Blackwood Valley. Mr. Blackwood located on this belt two years ago and predicted the results how being shown. He was instrumental in getting the heaviest reputable independent operator to hold of the new range—Wm. Yawkey of Detroit, Mich., who is one of the most practical and prosperous mining men in the state. It seems fair therefore that Blackwood Valley should be the permanent name for the new middle range, fair honors having gone to Mr. Adams of the now famed Cuyuna.

### How to Avoid Appendicitis

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfwdw

### A Word of Commandment

Aitkin Age: It will be a source of satisfaction to the mining men who are operating on the Cuyuna range in the vicinity of Deerwood to know that one of their number, H. B. Blackwood, has taken possession of the hotel at that place and will run it in a way to best serve the interests of the many mining men and the traveling public in general who find it necessary to stop in the town. Mr. Blackwood was one of the pioneer prospectors on the range and Blackwood valley is so named for him. As he found it advisable to live in Deerwood and could not find a suitable house he took advantage of the opportunity to get hold of the hotel and will move his family there from Duluth at once.

Remington typewriter—remodeled for \$60, cash or payments. R. S. Holden. 185ff

## Up-to-Date Hardware Store News

### American Wringers

Just received our spring stock on which we are making low

Royal ball bearing with soft special rolls. The king of all wringers, 5 year guarantee, at only.....	<b>\$4.50</b>
Novelty Ball Bearing, 3 year guarantee, only.....	<b>\$3.75</b>
Brighton, a good cheap wringer.....	<b>\$2.00</b>
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All kinds of tubs, wash stands, ironing boards and clothes racks very cheap.

### Slipp-Gruenhagen Co.

217-219 South 7th Street.

### O. C. FOSTER MARRIED

To Miss Rainert, at Rushford, Minn., January 2—Go to Southern California, then to Alaska

Mr. O. C. Foster, who returned from Nome, Alaska, a few months ago, and has been making his home in Brainerd most of the time since, was married in Rushford, Minn., January 2nd, to Anne Rainert. Miss Rainert was at one time a teacher in the Brainerd schools and has since taught in Duluth and St. Paul. The newly wedded couple will spend a few days here with friends and will then leave for an extended trip through southern California, working their way up to Seattle in the spring and from there will sail for Nome, Alaska, where Mr. Foster has very valuable mining properties.

### Dairy and Food Commission's Report

The Minnesota Dairy and Food Commission's analysis shows that Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar and Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar contained opiates and croton oil. Opiates are poisons and croton oil is a violent poisonous purgative. Refuse to accept any but Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates or dangerous drugs and it is the best cough and cold cure. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfwdw

### BANKS HELD THEIR ANNUAL MEETINGS

First National and Citizens State Banks Held Their Annual Meetings Yesterday

### DIRECTORS WERE RE-ELECTED

In Both Instances—Boards Met At Once and Re-elected all Officers

The stockholders of the First National bank met at the bank Tuesday forenoon and held their annual meeting. The entire board of directors was re-elected as follows: G. W. Holland, Adam Brown, B. A. Ferris, F. A. Farrar, G. D. LaBar.

The report of the directors to the stockholders, as stated a few days ago, showed the bank in a most prosperous condition. The bank is now entitled to a place among the roll of honor banks, having a surplus equal to or greater than its capital stock.

Immediately following the annual meeting the directors met and re-elected the officers as follows:

Pres.—G. D. LaBar.  
V. P.—G. W. Holland.  
Cash.—F. A. Farrar.  
Asst. Cash.—Geo. H. Brown.

In the forenoon the stockholders of the Citizen's State bank held their annual meeting and re-elected their board of directors, as follows: M. T. Dunn, J. W. Koop, Fred Hoffman, C. N. Parker, Henri Ribble, John Carlson and J. A. Thabes. The officers at this meeting reported over \$1,000 as undivided profits, a very good showing considering the circumstances under which the present management took hold of the bank.

Following the annual meeting the directors met and re-elected the officers as follows:

Pres.—M. T. Dunn.  
V. P.—Fred Hoffman.  
Cash.—Jay A. Bachelder.

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## A BOLD STEP.

To overcome the well-grounded and reasonable objections of the more intelligent to the use of secret, medicinal compounds, Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., some time ago, decided to make a bold departure from the usual course pursued by the makers of put-up medicines for domestic use, and so has published broadcast and openly to the whole world, a full and complete list of all the ingredients entering into the composition of his widely celebrated medicines. Thus he has taken his numerous patrons and patients into his full confidence. Thus too he has absolutely and completely removed his medicines from among secret nostrums of doubtful merits, and made them *Remedies of Known Composition*.

They are now in a class all by themselves--being absolutely and in every sense Non-secret.

By this bold step Dr. Pierce has shown that his formulas are of such excellence that he is not afraid to subject them to the fullest scrutiny.

So many false formulas and malicious statements concerning his medicines had been published through the convenience of jealous competitors and disgruntled doctors, that Dr. Pierce determined to completely disarm his assailants by a full and frank statement of their exact composition, verifying the same under oath as complete and correct. This he has done and to the complete discomfiture of those who had assailed his good name as well as the well-earned reputation of his world-famed medicines.

Not only does the wrapper of every bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the famous medicine for weak stomach, torpid liver or biliousness and all catarrhal diseases wherever located, have printed upon it, *in plain English*, a full and complete list of all the ingredients composing it, but a small book has been compiled from numerous standard medical works, of all the different schools of practice, containing very numerous extracts from the writings of leading practitioners of medicine, endorsing in the strongest possible terms, each and every ingredient contained in Dr. Pierce's medicines.

One of these little books will be mailed free to any one sending address on postal card or by letter, to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and requesting the same. From this booklet it will be learned that Dr. Pierce's medicines contain no alcohol, narcotics, mineral agents or other poisonous or injurious agents and that they are made from native, medicinal roots of great value; also that some of the most valuable ingredients contained in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for weak, nervous, over-worked, "run-down," nervous and debilitated women, were employed, long years ago by the Indians for similar ailments affecting their squaws. In fact, one of the most valuable medicinal plants entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was known to the Indians as "Squaw-Weed."

Our knowledge of the uses of not a few of our most valuable native, medicinal plants was gained from the Indians.

As made up by improved and exact processes, and with the use of specially designed chemical apparatus, the "Favorite Prescription" is a most efficient remedy for regulating all the womanly functions, correcting displacements, as prolapsus, anteversion and retroversion, overcoming painful periods, toning up the nerves and bringing about a perfect state of health.

## PERSIAN RULER DEAD

PASSES AWAY IN THE PRESENCE OF THE HEIR APPARENT AND HIS MINISTERS.

### UNKNOWN TO HIS SUBJECTS

PEOPLE OF PERSIA ARE KEPT IN IGNORANCE OF THE DEATH OF THE SHAH.

London, Jan. 9.—The Daily Mail's correspondent at Teheran in a telegram sent Tuesday night at 11:50 o'clock says:

"The shah of Persia died this evening, though no public announcement of the fact will be made until tomorrow.

"It was evident yesterday that the end was rapidly approaching and four injections of camphor were employed to prolong the ruler's life. All the shah's vital functions were suspended today and at 5 o'clock this evening the heir apparent and the ministers were summoned. The women of the palace also began preparations for mourning.

"Soon after sunset the doors of the harem were closed. This was the sign that all was over.

"The news of the shah's death reached the foreign ministers late this evening, but the public is still unaware of his majesty's end. The streets are deserted and the city is in darkness."

"The following are among the leading indications for Helonias: Pain or aching in the back, with leucorrhœa; atonic (weak) conditions of the reproductive organs of women, mental depression and irritability, associated with chronic diseases of the reproductive organs of women, constant sensation of heat in the region of the kidneys: menorrhagia, ("flooding") due to weakened condition of the reproductive system; amenorrhœa, arising from or accompanying an abnormal condition of the digestive organs and an anæmic (thin blood) habit; dragging sensations in the extreme lower part of the abdomen."

If more or less of the above symptoms are present, no invalid woman can do better than take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which is rich in all the medicinal properties of Unicorn root or Helonias.

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should have a medical book handy. They should know about anatomy and physiology. They should have a book that treats of the sexual relations of the sexes as well as how and when to advise son and daughter. Has unequal endorsement of the press, ministry, legal and medical professions. A standard work is the People's Common Sense Medical Adviser by R. V. Pierce, M. D. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the cloth-bound book, or 21 stamps for the paper-covered volume. Address Doctor R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

AT THE RISK OF HIS OWN LIFE.

Engineer Stops a Train and Prevents a Wreck.

Boone, Ia., Jan. 9.—After running wild for miles at the terrific speed of seventy-five miles an hour with an engine put out of control by the blowing out of a "stud" in its boiler, the Chicago and Northwestern fast mail train No. 10 was barely saved from destruction by the heroism of Engineer Louis Shull. Shull was blown from his seat by the scalding vapor and boiling water. Dazed for the moment and knowing it was impossible to reach the throttle and bring the flying train to a stop the plucky engineer climbed out onto the tender and drew himself over the coal to the express car beyond. The express messenger, fearing robbers, refused him admission. Shull hammered at the door and when it was suddenly opened, the messenger stood in the way with a pair of pistols aimed at the head of the engineer. When Shull finally staggered in bleeding and half dead he just had enough strength to reach up and pull the rope connecting the air brake. The train came to a stop shortly after. But for the presence of mind of the engineer who, at the risk of his own life stopped the train, a frightful wreck would have resulted.

GREAT NORTHERN CASE.

Hearing on Injunction Against Stock Increase Begun.

St. Paul, Jan. 9.—The hearing on the application of Attorney General E. T. Young on behalf of the state to restrain the Great Northern Railroad company from increasing its capital stock from \$150,000,000 to \$210,000,000, without first obtaining the consent of the state railroad and warehouse commission pursuant to Section 2872 of the Revised Laws of 1905, was begun in the district court of Ramsey county before Judge Hallam.

The matter came up on an order to show cause why an injunction pendente lite should not issue, but as counsel for the Great Northern filed its answer to the suit brought by the attorney general, the entire matter will be disposed of at one hearing, so far as the district court is concerned.

The defendant company by its answer raises the issue whether or not the laws of this state require a domestic railroad corporation, before increasing its capital stock, to obtain the consent of the state through the railroad and warehouse commission, or whether such stock may be increased at the election of the corporation.

WILL BUY STEVENSON'S HOME.

Honolulu, Jan. 9.—It is stated that the German government has authorized Governor Solof of German Samoa to purchase the former home of Robert Louis Stevenson at Vailima for a government residence.

### TIED TO RAILROAD TRACKS.

Pennsylvania Farmer Has Narrow Escape From Death.

Pittsburg, Jan. 9.—After being beaten by highwaymen, Frank Mason, a farmer, was tied to the tracks of the Pennsylvania road near Beaver at night and escaped being crushed to death by wrenching himself free of his bonds, just as the Cleveland-Pittsburg flyer was thundering down upon him. Mason was driving along a country road preceded a short distance by his son with another team. Two men jumped at Mason and demanded his money. Mason showed fight and was battling with the robbers when his son, coming to his assistance, was almost knocked unconscious. The older man was beaten into insensibility then dragged to the railroad tracks and tied to the rails. Regaining consciousness, Mason began to struggle to release himself. He had almost abandoned hope when he heard the rumble of the approaching flyer. With a last desperate effort he managed to tear himself free and crawled from the track just as the headlight of the engine sent a gleam along the track where he had been lying. His son was found unconscious in the road and was revived with difficulty. Both men will recover though their injuries are serious.

### INVESTIGATION PROBABLE.

Texas Legislature May Look Into Bailey's Actions.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 9.—The Texas legislature convened and after a brief session by both houses adjourned until morning, when organization then will be completed. It is understood that immediately upon the conclusion of the organization an effort will be made to secure a legislative investigation of the alleged connection of United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey with certain oil interests. Because of the fact that Senator Bailey has questioned the authenticity of certain documents which the attorney general holds in connection with the suit to oust the Waters-Pierce Oil company from the state, and with which it is alleged connects Senator Bailey, the attorney general has demanded an investigation into the truth of his assertions that they are genuine.

The election of a United States senator will take place on Jan. 22 and unless action is deferred by reason of a legislative investigation Senator Bailey will be elected on Jan. 22 for a second term.

### FIVE MEN MISSING.

Believed to Have Been Drowned in the Columbia River.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 9.—Five men are believed to have been drowned in the Columbia river near Butlers Wash., by the capsizing of a boat in which they were crossing the river. Persons on shore at Butlers head the men shout for help and a search was made for the boat but no trace of it was found. The missing are:

W. E. Murray, county surveyor of Skamania county, Wash.; Carl Lindstrom, William Wallace, — Jackson Stevenson, Wash., and an unknown man.

### Longshoremen in Fatal Fight.

Eureka, Cal., Jan. 9.—In a battle between union and nonunion longshoremen at night one nonunion man was killed, one was fatally shot and one union man was probably fatally shot.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Adolphus Busch, the millionaire brewer, is very slightly improved.

Governor Magoon has signed a treaty of extradition between the republics of Cuba and Santo Domingo.

The store of the Henkin Mercantile company at Plainview, Neb., has been destroyed by fire, the loss being estimated at \$50,000.

Secretary Taft appeared before the house committee on military affairs and urged the necessity for an increase in the artillery corps.

### MARKET QUOTATIONS.

#### Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Jan. 8.—Wheat—May 75%¢; July, 78½¢. On track—No. 1 hard, 75%¢; No. 1 Northern, 77%¢; No. 2 Northern, 75%@75%¢; No. 3 Northern, 72@73¢.

#### Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Jan. 8.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, 77½¢; No. 1 Northern, 76¾¢; No. 2 Northern, 74½¢; May, 77¾¢; July, 78%¢. Flax—To arrive, on track and in store, 22@31¢; dairies, 20@27¢. Eggs—20@22¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 11¢; chickens, 11½¢; springs, 11¢.

#### St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$5.50@6.25¢; fair to good, \$4.00@5.00¢; good to choice cows and heifers, \$3.50@4.75¢; veals, \$4.50@5.50¢. Hogs—\$6.10@6.25¢. Sheep—Wethers, \$4.50@5.15¢; good to prime spring lambs, \$6.50@7.40¢.

#### Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Wheat—May, 75%@75%¢; July, 75½¢. Corn—May, 43%¢; July, 43½@43%¢. Oats—May, 36¢; July, 33½¢. Pork—May, \$16.25¢; July, \$16.42½¢. Butter—Creameries, 22@31¢; dairies, 20@27¢. Eggs—20@22¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 11¢; chickens, 11½¢; springs, 11¢.

#### Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Beefes, \$4.15@7.20¢; cows and heifers, \$1.50@5.25¢; stockers and feeders, \$2.60@4.60¢; Texans, \$3.75@4.50¢; calves, \$6.00@8.00¢. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$6.25@6.50¢; good heavy, \$6.40@6.52½¢; rough heavy, \$6.20@6.35¢; light, \$6.15@6.45¢; pigs, \$5.65@6.20¢. Sheep, \$2.50@2.75¢; lambs, \$4.50@7.75¢.

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